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## The Standard.

RALEIGH, SATURDAY, AUGUST 9, 1856.

ELECTION RETURNS. The people of this State voted, on Thursday last, for Governor, members of the Legislature, and for Sheriffs. The candidates for Governor were Thomas Bragg, Dem., the present incumbent; and John A. Gilmer, Know Nothing, of Guilford County.

The returns thus far received are meagre, but we have heard enough to warrant us in announcing to our readers that Gov. Bragg has been re-elected by a largely increased majority, and that the Legislature will be Democratic by from twenty to thirty on joint ballot. We give such returns below as we have received; and having kept our paper back until after the arrival of the Raleigh and Gaston cars on Friday evening, we are thereby enabled to present the very latest returns.

Great Result in Wake County!

The Democrats of Wake have achieved the greatest victory ever won by them since the party had an existence in the County. Gov. Bragg runs 152 votes ahead of his vote two years ago, while Mr. Gilmer falls beh nd Gen. Dockery 56 votes. Gov. Bragg's majority is FIVE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINEbeing a clear gain of 208 votes. He gained 54 votes at the Raleigh box; and, especially at Laws' and Forestville, his gains were also large. All honor to the Democrats at these precincts! But the whole County has done not merely well, but gloriously.-Col. Rand, the highest on the Democratic ticket, leads Mr. Rogers, K. N. and anti Nebraska candidate, 456 votes; and Mr. Bledsoe, the lowest on our ticket, leads Mr. Rogers 321 votes. Mr. High, the Democratic candidate for Sheriff, has also 'een reelected by an increased majority. See table of the vote by precincts, in another column. Comments hereafter. We may add, however, that the appeal of Mr. Rogers to the people of his native County, to sustain him in his vote against the Kansas-Nebraska act, has been answered in a manner and with an emphasis which cannot soon be forgotten .-In 1852, before Mr. Rogers gave that anti-North-Carolina vote, he ran as a candidate for the Commons in this County within ten votes of the lowest Democratic candidate; now he is overwhelmed by a majority of 321 votes. We may also add, as a matter of justice to Mr. Bledsoe, that his vote was cut down by a very unworthy trick resorted to by some of Mr. Rogers' friends, with the view of increasing his vote. Tickets were printed at one of the K. N. offices in this City, with the names of N. G. Rand and A M. Lewis, two of the Deriocratic candidates, and that of S. H. Rogers, omitting the name of Mr. Bledsoe. The object of this trick is apparent. It was to deceive uninformed and unsuspecting Democrats; and we learn that a number of these tickets were voted. Of course Mr. Rogers gained, and Mr. Bledsoe lost votes by this unworthy movement; and voters were thus deceived, imposed upon, cheated out of their right of suffrage. We do not wish to be understood as charging or intimating that Mr. Rogers himself had any hand in this thing; but it was the act of some of his unscrupulous friendsand we have heard it spoken of by men of both parties in terms of just indignation. The vote of Mr. Bledsoe is, therefore, a most flattering one; and but for this deception practiced upon Democrats, he would have polled a much larger vote. Democratic gain of one in Wake for the Legislature.

Glorio Result in Orange!! Orange has been gloriously redeemed. A friend writes us as follows:

HILLSBOROUGH, Aug 7. Messrs, Holden & Wilson: We have heard from all the precincts, but not officially, and the whole Democratic ticket is elected in Orange. Cameron has beaten Turner, K. N., for the Senate, about fifty votes. Lyon and Strayhorn, Democrats, have beaten Strudwick and Patterson, K. N's, from 25 to 40 votes. Jones, Dem., re-elected Sheriff by about 300

This is a Democratic gain of three members of the Legislature. We congratulate the people of Orange, and our readers generally, upon the triumphant election of Paul C. Cameron, Esq., to the Senate.

majority.

Yours, in haste,

Alamance fully Redeemed! We have carried the entire ticket in Alamance, and made a gain for Gov. Bragg of 162 votes. friend writes us as follows:

GRAHAM, 7th Aug. We have polled about 1600 votes in Alamance. -Bragg's majority about 275, and the same for the Legislature. The vote is not strictly official, but will not vary materially. For Governor, Bragg 877. Gilmer 616. For the Commons, Dr. D. A. Montgomery, Dem. 891, George Patterson, Dem. 879, Dr. Watson, K. N., 625, Col. Stockard, K. N., 584 .-Senate, Maj. Patterson, Dem. 330, Dr. Holt, K. N.,

Yours, ly glorious result. Alamance has done well-even better than we expected. A Democratic gain of one in the Legis-

272. Randolph not heard from. For Sheriff, Tap-

scott, Dem. 930, Hunter, K. N., 646. This is a tru-

Johnston County.

A friend writes us that the Democrats have carried their entire ticket by triumphant majorities. We have no details.

Wayne County. GOLDSBOROUGH, Aug. 8.

Messrs. Holden & Wilson: All the precincts heard from. Thompson beats Dortch five votes, though

the official returns may affect the result. Brage has gained some 75 votes in the County.

Truly yours, &c. Guilford County.

For Governor, Bragg 572, Gilmer 2,031-a gain of 372 for Gilmer. This is the County in which Mr. Gilmer resides. Ralph Gorrell, K. N. elected to the Senate without opposition. Commons, D. F. Caldwell 1597, Ogborn 931, Scott 1372-all K. N's. Winborn K. N. re-elected Sheriff.

Gains for Bragg in Davidson. A friend writes us as follows, from Lexington, at 8 o'clock P. M. Aug. 7th: "The vote for Governor at this box is just counted. Bragg has gained here about 80 votes, and I learn just now that he has

made a gain of 50 more at another box. The cars

are coming, and I must close."

Good News from Rowan. Two precincts in Rowan-Salisbury and Morgan's -heard from. Bragg had gained 72 votes. Col. Robards had gained over Ram-ay, K. N., for the Senate, 40 votes. It is believed that Col. Robards is elected to the Senate, and that Walton and Hail, Dems. are elected to the Commons. If so, a Democratic gain of one in the Legislature.

Warren County. Warren County gives Bragg 819, Gilmer 101-a gain of 132 for Bragg. William Eaton, Dem., elected to the Senate, and W. A. Jenkins and Dr. Pitchford, Dems., to the Commons. Jones, Dem., elected Sheriff.

Franklin County.

Bragg 744, Gilmer 334-a gain for Bragg of 36. Philemon Hawkins, Dem., elected to the Senate, and Dr. L. A. Jeffreys, Dem., to the Commons. Washington Harris, Dem., re-elected Sheriff. Sampson County.

Bragg 987, Gilmer 504-gain of 222 for Bragg. Senate, Thos. H. Holmes, Dem. candidate, 437; Thomas I. Faison 281. Commons, O. P. White, Dem., 980; J. M. Mosely, Dem., 756; Geo. H. Daughtry 712. White and Mosely elected. G. W. Crumpler, Dem. elected Sheriff.

Granville Gloriously Redeemed! We learn that Bragg's majority in Granville is

160, and that the entire Democratic ticket for the Legislature is elected. Gain of one member. Seventy gain for Bragg. J. H. Gooch, Dem., re-elected Sheriff by 300 majority. New Hanover.

Bragg's majority in New Hanaver is 950-a gain of 265. No further news.

Columbus. Bragg's majority 276-gam of 68 for Bragg. Brunswick.

Gilmer's majority 89-gain for Gilmer of 108 .-Thos. D. Mears, K. N. elected to the Commons. Democratic loss.

Northampton. Bragg's majority about 250 -gain of 100 for Bragg. Entire Democratic ticket for the Legisla-

ture elected. Halifax. Returns not full, but Bragg has gained largely. Vote between Whitaker, Dem. and Wiggins, K. N. for the Senate, very close. William Hill and J. W.

Chatham Redeemed!

The whole Democrate ticket elected to the Legislature, and a gain for Bragg. Haughton is defeated! Nine cheers for Chatham!

Kentucky Election.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 6.-Private despatches received in this city, say that the Democrats have elected the judge in the Lexington District of Kentucky by a large majority. The competitor was the present

The Old Serpent in a New Skin.

We learn from the Richmond Enquirer that the Know Nothings of Virginia have again changed their tactics, and have organized in that State under a new name, that of " The American League." They have a full set of officers of the "Grand League," which is composed of delegates representing each subordinate League These subordinate Leagues are being established in all parts of the State-the only test of membership being-" Is he active, untiring, and devoted to the cause?" County, city, and town and ward Leagues are provided for; and every member is to operate in secret, to list voters, raise funds, and to act as a spy upon his neighbors. All this is to be done to advance the election of Fillmore and Donelson, and thus secure the offices to these hungry and unscrupulous cormorants.

A similar movement is no doubt on foot in this State. We solemnly warn all honest and upright citizens against it. It is the old serpent of Know Nothingism in a new skin.

The greatest curse which has ever fallen on this country is ABOLITIONISM; and the next greatest is KNOW NOTHINGISM.

Let every Democrat and every honest man be upon the alert. The enemies of the people and the betrayers and violators of the Constitution of the country, are never idle. "The price of liberty is eternal vigilence."

"Cantwell's Justice." We are indebted to the publisher, Mr. Turner of

this City, for a copy of this work.

It is "Swaim's Justice-Revised." by Edward Cantwell, E.q., LL B., Counsellor at Law, of this City; and is intended as " A practical Guide to the laws of the State, and the decisions of the Supreme Court, defining the duties and jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace out of Court under the Revised Code, 1854-'55; together with full instructions and numerous Forms and Precedents."

We have examined this work with some care; and we take pleasure in saying that Mr. Cantwe'l has per'ormed, in compiling and preparing it, important and useful service to the Magistrates and people of the State. Justices of the Peace will indeed find it, not merely a "practical" but an almost indispensable "Guide" in the performance of their responsible and so often unrequited duties; while members of the bar, and others, interested in the law, will be aided in very many instances by the "cases cited" and the forms and precedents which

are given. The work will no doubt have, as it deserves, a very general circulation. It is neatly printed, and is bound in good style.

Extract from a letter to the Editors, dated

"I can no longer do without the Standard. I wish to learn the principles of Democracy, because by those principles the Union must stand or fall. Hurrah for Buchanan and Breckmridge! Whenever the Standard makes its ap-pearance the Know Nothings scatter like rats from an old barn on fire."

Search and after an extreme wing.

OFFICIAL VOTE OF WAKE COUNTY, 1856.

PRECINCTS.	GOVERNOR		SENATE.		HOUSE OF COMMONS.						SHEKUFF.	
	Bragg, D.	GILMER, E. N.	W прек, р.	UTLY, K. N.	RAND, D.	LEWIS, D.	BLEDSOE, D.	ROGERS, K. N.	FERRELL, K. N.	SHEPARD, K. N.	Нюя, р.	JONES, K. N.
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AWS'	155		64	7	156	158	147	71		5	142	71
AGLE ROCK,	28				28	28	21	108		12.7	20	105
AKEFIELD,	35	29	21		87	88	86	30			23	39
USBEES',	75		91 49 59 74	8		73	65	99	84	14	67	95
ANKS',	81	25	52		88	80	78	27			73	27
. JONES'	125			1	126	124	122	14	-	_	109	11
AT. JONES',	73		80	18	76	75	66	49	1 20		67	42
UPREE'S	121		82		120	120	120	5		٠. ا	86	7
OEL JONES',	71	7	47		71	69	70	6	1		59	6
PCHURCH'S,	119	32	67	2	121	121	118	32	1	2	114	27
EDAR LEVEL,	56	24			56	55	56	24			44	26
AYES',	94	17	39	1	95	92	86	82			86	25
YNN'8,	34	71	17		38	31	28	82	1		33	75
IMMS',	12		7	4	14	12	12	8	7	7	13	13
AK GROVE,	8	13		6	11	7	- 7	41	3	2	8	40
PIKES',	59	25			57		48	39	-		40	47
UNNSVILLE,	75				76		72				70	16
ORESTVILLE,	41				40	39	36				26	39
RIDGEWAY,	19	68	10		14	15	14	74			15	73
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Mr. Victor C. Barringer.

We learn from the Charlotte Whig that Mr. Gilmer, Mr. Victor C. Barringer, and other disinterested Know Nothing patriots, have been making demonstrations against the Standard, and charging that we have suppressed a resolution of the Democratic National Convention on the subject of the Pacific Railroad. The "Whig" says:

"Mr. Barringer charged the Raleigh Standard with suppressing a part of the Democratic platform. His remarks were of the severest character on a party press that could attempt to perpetrate so great a fraud on the people. He had a Standard, which he exhibited to the meeting and which Mr. Waring examined. The part suppressed is Mr. Inge's resolution in favor of the Pacific Railroad."

The "Whig" also says of Gov. Bragg-

"In his address Gov. Bragg denied, (as Mr. Gilmer referred to the Standard suppressing a part of the platform, that the Cincinnati Convention had adopted a resolution in favor of the Pacific Railroad. What can be thought of Gov. Bragg after this? It is well known that a resolution was adopted by the Cincinnati Convention, approving of a communication with our own territory between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans, and stating that it is the duty of the federal government to exercise promptly all its constitu-tional powers for the attainment of that object. There was not a person in the country acquainted with politics at all,

Now, let us see how this is. We have before us the Washington Weekly Union of June 12, containing the proceedings in full of the Democratic National Convention. On the third day of the Convention the resolutions were reported. After the regular resolutions, and appended, was the follow-

" Resolved, That the democratic party recognises the great importance, in a political and commercial point of view, of a sale and speedy communication, by military and postal roads, through our own territory, between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the Union, and that it is the duty of the federal government to exercise promptly all its consti-

Johnson, Dems. elected to the Commons over Smith On the same day, during the afternoon session and Brickell, K. N's. Democratic gain of two memall the regular resolutions were adopted; but the above resolution, being called up by Mr. Salisbury, of Delaware, was, on his motion, laid on the table -the delegates from North Carolina voting to lay on the table. It was not taken from the table, and was, therefore, not adopted by the Convention.

> We published the resolutions that were adopted, and they were correctly published in the Standard. Nothing was added, and nothing was suppressed .-We have before us the Richmond Enquirer of the 25th July, and the Washington Sentinel of the 26th July, containing the Democratic platform in full; and no such resolution as the one above quoted appears in those papers.

And now, "what can be thought of" Mr. Barringer and the Charlotte Whig "after this?" This is a specimen, good reader, of the reckless and disingenuous manner in which the Democratic party is assailed. Will the Charlotte Whig make the correc-

As for Mr. Victor C. Barringer, his "remarks were of the severest character." Mr. Barringer is too quick on trigger. He has been "wasting" his "severity" on the "desert air." He is neither a Demosthenes nor a Henry; and we neither fear his invective nor feel troubled at this wonderful discovery, which he thought he had made. We advise him hereafter, always to be "sure he is right, and then go ahead "-otherwise, to remain, as he should do generally so far as great public questions are concerned, in a delightful state of fixidity. Mr. Barringer will never be President of the United States -nor, in all probability, Sheriff of Cabarrus county.

It is respectfully suggested to our good-humored friend-who is one of the seventeen Editors of the Signal-that his pieces are not properly punctuated as they appear in that paper. Though we are far from agreeing with him in the matter of his writings, still we confess we feel some solicitude as to the manner in which they are brought out. It is not for us, however, to lecture him about his "pints" -- nor is it necessary, for the election on Thursday last put a "dead stop" generally to Know Nothingism. Our cotemporary now has an opportunity to look about him and "count four" while contemplating the wreck.

THE AID OF OLD LINE WHIGH .- The Pennsylvaman thus speaks of the old line Whigs in Pennsylvania, who are supporting Buchanan:

"We have to aid us the very flower of the old Whig party. In Philadelphia, such men as Josiah Randall, W. B. Reid, Eli K. Price, J. R. Chandler, H. Binney, the sons of cower and be silent! the great Clay leaders, John Sergeant, Charles Gilpin, Frederick Fraiev, Theodore Guyier, G. M. Wharton, and many other talented and able men, who were the very soul of the Whig organization of former years, are earnestly advocating Mr. Buchanan's election, not only from a feeling of State pride, but from a recognition of the fact that our most cherished institutions -- the Constitution and the Union itseif are perilled by the attacks of reckless agitators, and that the Democratic party is the only organization capable of stemming the torrent of lestructive fanaticism which threatens to sweep over the land. In other parts of the State, the same spirit animates thousands of their political associates, and we gladly welcome such noble alies to our

The last "Signal," speaking of Mr. Buchanan, and grossly misrepresenting his past record, says: "Fremont h mself has not half so black a past record." Then, of course, the "Signal" prefers the election of Fremont to that of Buchanan. Out at last! Standard. Ipecac and Assaictida. Hard choice!

Comment is unnecessary. The masses of the people, of both parties, prefer their country to party; but there are politicians in the South who would see the Union destroyed and slave property rendcred valueless, before they would sink or surrender their party prejudices and hatreds.

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Gov. Bragg.

No public man in North-Carolina, with the exception of David S. Reid, has ever been so maligned, misrepresented, and abused as Gov. Bragg has been during this campaign. We know that Thomas Bragg was called to be the standard bearer of the Democratic party in 1854, without any solicitation on his part, and without any wish expressed to even his most intimate friend that he might be nominated .-A great party required his services, and invited him from his honorable position at the bar and in private life, to lead its hosts against the common enemy. He accepted the position assigned him, thoroughly canvassed the State, and was elected. So well had he borne himself, and so justly and impartially had he performed all the duties of his office, that up to the day his opponent was nominated not one word was uttered by the opposition against his administration. But it was considered necessary, with the hope of defeating him, to prejudice the people against him and to deprive him of their confidence; and with this object in view, the journals of the Know Nothing faction have teemed during this campaign with the most palpable misrepresentions of his course, with imputations upon his sense of justice and his patriotism, and with every thing, indeed, not of a grossly personal nature, which they imagined would injure his reputation and prevent his re-election. But the people know him-they bave tried him, and they have not deserted him. On the contrary, we believe his majority of two years ago has been more than doubled: and this is the best answer that could be given to the unjust and disreputable conduct of his opponents.

The last Warrenton News, published near the spot where Thomas Bragg was born, pays the folowing deserved and impressive tribute to his char-

"We believe that all will admit that he has discharged the high functions of Chief Magistrate of North Carolina with impartiality, with fidelity, with ability and with dignity. He possesses all the qualifications necessary to the administration of our State affairs, a sound head, an incorruptible heart, great industry, and an amount of information that would do credit to any public man in the Union. His habits are strictly moral and exemplary in every particular. While at Chapel Hill, in attendance upinteresting exercises of the late Commence heard Watter L. Steele, Esq., femark that Mr. Bragg was the most efficient and faithing Governor that had ever occupied the Executive Chair of the State within his recollecion, and that he had saved to the State as well as to individuals untol I amounts of money, by his strict attention and unswerving fidelity to the interests of the public. He is a native North Carolinian, and sprung from, and is identi-fied with the masses. He is not, as John D. Hyman represents him to be to the Western people, aristocratic. On the contrary, he is the son of an honest, worthy mechanic, and was born within two hundred yards of the place wherewe now write, and all that he possesses of worldly goods he has ac-cumulated by his own unaided industry and his own supe-rior talents. Such a man deserves to be honored, for the example of his life is calculated to exert a beneficial in fluence upon the rising generation Why, then, we ask, should be be turned out or office? What great public interests are to be subserved by the ejection of such a man the suffrages of his fellow-citizens? If he be proser what incentive will any man hereafter, elevated to high public station, have to stimulate him to fidelity and zeal in the discharge of the paramount duties appertaining to that station? We saw him ourself lay his hand upon his heart, and appealing to heaven for a confirmation of what he asserted, affirm that he had tried, earnestly and honestly, to perform his duty as Governor of the whole State. Can any man, with equal candor and sincerity, lay his hand upon his heart and say that Thomas Bragg, is unfit to be Governor of North Carolina, and that he ought not to be re-elected? If he can, then he ought to vote against him; if he can not, truly and conscientiously, make this asseveration before God and man, then we claim his vote for Gov. Bragg on Thursday. We submit the case to the verdict

We have had many opportunities of observing Gov. Bragg's conduct in office, and the manner in which he discharges his duties. The Warrenton News has done him no more than strict justice. He is as careful, as discreet, and as circumspect in the discharge of his duties, and in the control he exercises over the public monies and the public interests, as the most prudent and sagacious business man would be in managing his own private affairs. Nothing escapes his attention. No man has more at heart the welfare and the honor of North-Caroilna than Thomas Bragg; and the State has never had a more conscientious or a more faithful public servant. Such men, thanks to the intelligence and virtue of the people, can neither be put down nor injured by falsehood, misrepresentation, and calumny. " Well done, thou good and faithful servant," has already been uttered by the great popular voice, from the sands of Currituck to the mountains of Ashe and Cherokee; and when the people speak, let demagogues and the minions of faction

HON. BURTON CHAIGE.—The last Goldsborough Iribune says: "We had a brief interview with the Hon. Burton Craige, Representative in Congress from the Seventh District, on last Sunday morning. Mr. Craige was on his way to visit his family in Salisbury, and will return to Washington about the close of the present week. He is enjoying fine health, and, in Congress is daily adding to his reputation as a statesman and patriot. We were glad to learn from him that our own Representative, Hon. Thomas Ruffin, is enjoying perfect health, and is generally regarded as one of the most consistent and industrious Representatives in the present Congress."

THAT "BULLETIN."-We understand that the Editor of the Register has the vote of Guilford on his bulletin, which he promised would be displayed at his office. He anxiously awaits one more gain for Gilmer.

P. S.-As we go to press the bullstin is down!

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS .- A correspondent of the Richmond Enquirer, writing from Greenbrier White Sulphur Springs, and describing various per-

"The gentleman just entering is Gen. H—of Raleigh, North-Carolina. An unmistakable arder and glow of tem-North-Carolina. An unimistakable ardor and glow of temperament are in his deep eyes and expressive face; but it is ardor restrained and kept in subjection by a will and character stronger than itself. He presents, we think, a fine specimen of the true Southern gentleman. The lady by his side, with a sweetly thoughtful face, is Mrs. H., an invalid who has visited the White Suiphur for the benefit of its waters. There is such suavity in all her looks and words, that it affords rest to contemplate her. This henignity. that it affords rest to contemplate her. This benignity, this sweetness, is a part of herself, which she imparts as the ripe fruit rewards with sweetness the rifling bee; sufusing it about her as sweet plants shed their perfume. The bland countenance in the door way is Judge E

of North-Carolina—a gentleman whose early elevation is sufficient proof of the high appreciation of his native State. He is, we understand, the most youthful man who has ever filled in his section the honorable position he now enjoys. The lady in the door with the bearing of a Princess, is Miss F., of Baleigh. Her lovely liquid eyes, her hair so very dark-brown, that the universal opinion calls it black, and her air of apprecious queenlines. nd her air of unconscious queenliness, are much admired

THE CROPS.—That the corn crop is ruined in this egion is a painful but truthful reflection. The gardens are literally burned up and the shade trees are dying as if struck by a plague.—The drought has been the most excessive both in intensity and durathat has been experienced in many years, if indeed it has ever been equalled. Nor is it confined to one locality or one State. As far South as Alabama, and as far North as New York, the complaint is the same, and the results alike deplorable. Streams and mill ponds are dried up in all directions, and it is equally difficult for a man to procure meal or animals to get

On Friday and Saturday we had light showers at this place and on Saturday night, commencing between 10 and 11 o'clock, we had a severe thunderstorm and the heaviest rain that has fallen for several months. We fear much of what good corn there is has been injured by the storm, still the copious rain that fell will more than compensate for any injuries sustained by the winds. We hope to hear that the rain of Saturday night extended all over Golds. Tribune. the parched region.

We have recently had refreshing rains in this section, but not enough. The crops, however, have considerably improved.

ANARCHY AND DESPOTISM IN CALIFORNIA .- At the latest dates the Executive Committee of San Francisco still held sway, and was setting at defiance all legal authority, both State and federal. Their action in the outset was very generally approved; and if they had disbanded immediately after having executed the murderer of King, with the understandng that they would meet again if deemed necessary their conduct would have worn a very different aspect. Judge Terry, of the Supreme Court, is now in their custody, for having resisted and wounded one of their number, who attempted to arrest a person without authority in his presence; and the rumor now is that treason to the State and rebellion against the federal government have been deliberately planned by the Committee, and will be attempted to be carried out. We give this rumor for what it is worth. It is also stated that application has been made to the President by the Governor of California, for aid in putting down the Committee and restoring the supremacy of law.

THANKS. - We lose no time in tendering the thanks of the Democratic members elect of Wake County to H. W. Miller, Esq., -to the "solitary and alone" Editor of the Register, and to the seventeen Editors of the Signal, for their indefatigable exertions in their behalf, and especially to Mr. Miller for his statesman-like and most impressive effort in this City, on the night preceding the election. These things have told well for the Democratic cause, and we respectfully bespeak in advance other and further instalments of the same sort. It is to be regretted that Mr. Rayner could not remain, and devote a portion of his valuable time to Wake. If he had been here, working as the other leaders referred to have worked, the Democratic majority would have been considerably larger than it is,

THE JAPAN EXPEDITION.—We have received from the Hon, L. O'B. Branch a copy of the United States Japan Expedition of Commodore Purry, and we have read it with much interest. The whole work was compiled from the original papers by the Rev. Francis L. Hawks, of New York, formerly of this State; and while the substance of the original papers has evidently been faithfully preserved, it nevertheless bears the impress of his clear and polished pen. It is profusely illustrated with fine engravings, and is altogether one of the most interesting books which we have ever read.

Extract from a letter to the Editors, dated CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., 80th July.

"Tennessee is safe for Buchanan by from five to ten thousand majority. The causes are at work to bring about this result. Massachusetts Politics.

Boston, Aug, 5 .- The Fitchburg (Massachusetts) American State Council held a meeting to-day, when a motion to endorse Fillmore and Donelson was amended by substituting the names of Fremont and Johnston by a vote of 89 to 52. A letter was read from President Bartlett revok-

ing the character of the Massachusetts council on the ground of recreancy, and authorising the Fillmoreites to form a new council. The Fillmore men thereupon withdrew and formed a new State council. The Fremonters endorsed the nomination of Gov. Gardner, and adhered to the nomination of Fremont and Johnston.

Iowa Election.

DAVENPORT, IOWA, Aug. 5 .- the election in this State vesterday was for Congressional Representatives, (two,) Secretary of State, Auditor, Treasurer, Attorney General, Legislature and county officers -The returns so far received are very meagre, Scott county gives 850 republican majority; Muscatine about 150, and Jackson 150 republican majority: Desmoines county also gives a republican majority, being considerable gains as compared with the election of 1854, when Grimes for Governor, was elected by 2,600 majority over Bates, the Democratic candidate. [There are but two parties in the present contest in lowa-republican and anti-republican.]

Duel at Bladensburg.

Washington, Aug, 6.—Roger A. Pryor, Esq., one of the editors of the Richmond Enquirer, and Robert Ridgway, Esq., one of the editors of the Richmond Whig, fought a duel at Bladensburg this morning. The distance was ten paces. One shot was fired. Neither party injured. The matter was then amicably adjusted.

Railroad Accident.

PHILADELPHIA, August 6.—The train from Baltinore last night ran over a cow near Goday's Ferry. Three cars were demolished No lives were lost. A few of the passengers were injured, among them A-Scherrman and Mr. Ball, mail agent, who was in. jured internally.

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DIED,

In New York City, on the 1st inst., Miss Mary Ann McGowan, daughter of Patrick McGowan, Esq., of this City, aged 16 years. Her sufferings were very great, but she bore them with fortitude and resignation, and died with full assurance of a blissful immortality. She was brought to this City for interment.

OR SALE !!- A VALUABLE TRACT OF LAND. lying in the eastern part of Orange county and pair in the county of Wake, six miles from Durham's ston the North-Carolina Railroad. This land is well adopted to grain and cotton; and from small experiments and the opinions of some of the best planters in Granville and eisewhere, there can be no doubt that it is superior tobacco land. The tract contains about 1,500 acres, and is well watered in every respect. It is bounded for nearly two miles on the north by Eno river, with Ellerbie's creek running through the southern portion, and in addition, there are on the north by Eno river, with Ellerbie's creek running through the southern portion, and in addition, there are many small streams that take their sources from never-failing springs. The location is intirely healthy. There is perhaps no tract of the same size that could be divided into small tracts to greater advantage.

For further particulars address

ALBERT WILKERSON,

West Point P. O., Orange co., N. C. August 5, 1856.

VALUABLE LAND AND OTHER PRO-PERTY FOR SALE. - I will seil at public suction on WEDNESDAY Sth day of October next, on the premi-ses, the valuable Tract of land in Warren county, North ses, the valuable Tract of land in Warren county, Carolina, known as "BUCK SPRING," formely the resi-dence of the late Nathaniel Macon. It is one of the best dence of the late Nathaniel Macon. It is one of the best highland plantations in the country, containing about 1750 Acres, from 900 to 1000 of which are in original growth, and very heavily timbered. There are 250 acres of fine Creek low grounds, half of which are cleared—part very recently. The Stables, Cribs and Barns, are all in good repair—the latter capable of curing about 30 Hogsheads of Tobacco. On the tract is good water power and a mill site and the Location is eligible for either a GRIST or SAW MILL. It is within six miles of Macon and Littleton Depots on the Raleigh and Gaston Railroad; three miles from Roanoke River and adjoins the lands of John E. Boyd, Esq., and Miss Elizabeth Mitchell.

At the same time and place will be sold the stock of all

At the same time and place will be sold the stock of all kinds: HORSES, MULES, CATTLE, SHEEP AND HOGS; Crop of Corn, Oats, Tobacco; Piantation Utensits; one new Wheat Thrasher and Horse Power and Fan Mill. The purchaser will have liberty to seed a crop of Wheat

and full possession will be given on the 1st January.
Should it be found desirable, the tract will be divided to The Overseer, Mr. T. S. Leonard, is on the land at all times and will go over it with any one who may wish to

TERMS FOR THE LAND .- One third cash, the balance in two equal payments at one and two years, with interest from the day of sale. Bonds with approved personal sco-urity required and title retained until final payment. FOR PERSONAL PROPERTY. - Cash for all sums of \$20 and under-over that amount, six months credit with interest. Bonds with good security will be required before the remov-

al of the property.

Should the day prove inclement, the sale will take place on the next fair day.

H. J. STONE, Executor of Robert L. Jones, dec'd. 1144 w2m. August 4, 1856. STATE OF NORTH-CAROLINA.-WAYNE COUNTY.-Superior Court of Law, Spring Term, 1856.-William K. Lane, Sr., vs. John K. Taylor.-Original attachment returned into Court, levied on the defendants

interest in certain lands in the County of Gree In this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the said defendant, J. K. Taylor, is a non-resident; it is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six successive weeks in the North Carolina Standard, a news-paper published in the City of Raleigh, notifying the de-f-udant to appear at the next Term of our said Court, to be held for said County of Wayne, at the Court House in Goidsboro', on the ist Monday after the 4th Monday in September next, then and there to answer the said plaintiff, or replevy according to law, otherwise the case will be heard experts and the property levied on condemned to satisfy

Witness, W. C. Bryan, Clerk of said Court at office in Goldsboro', the 1st Monday after the 4th Monday in March, W. C. BRYAN, Clerk. August 4, 1856. [Pr. adv. \$5,62%.] 1144-w6w.

WEST HARRIS, D. D. S., PITTSBOROUGH, N. C.,

ton's Law Office. Dr. HARRIS having graduated at the Baltimore College of Dental Surgery at its \$ ssion of 1855, respectfully tenders his professional services to the public.

He announces to the citizens of Randolph, Moore and Harnett Counties, that he will visit their county seats, during the several terms of their respective Courts. March 5, 1856.

Office on Rockbridge street, next door to John H. Haugh-

L. S. PERRY, DENTAL SURGEON. RALEIGH, N. C.

References: To the Faculty of the Baltimore College of Dental Sur-Johnson, Dr. Smedes, Rev. Mr. McDowell, Dr. Chas. E. Johnson, Dr. Fab. J. Haywood, Hon. J. H. Bryan, Raleigh; Rev. Dr. Lacy, Davidson College; Profs. Owen and Wingate, Wake Forest College; Prof. Wheat, Chapel Hill; Rev. Mr. Fitzgerald, Jackson, N. C. April 5, 1856.

RANAWAY FROM THE SUBSCRIBER, NEAR Springhope, Nash County, N. C., on the 28th June, 1856, one negro man, named Green. Said negro is about 5 feet 10 or 1I inches high, dark completed, weights 165 or 70 pounds, is about 30 years old, and has short toes, or stub toes, having been burnt off when little, and a scar on one cheek, probably the left.

I will give the above reward of twenty dollars for his re-

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.

turn to me, or his confinement in any jail, so I can get him again. Said negro has a wife at Edward Strickland's, on he South side of Tar river, and is probably lurking in that neighborhood. SIMON HENDRICK.

July 18, 1856.

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locksville, Jones county, N. C. . JOAN SON. M . right an I Mschinist

April 5, 1856. 1:21-wly Valuable Property for Sale. OBEDIENCE TO THE DECREE OF THE COUN-TY Court of Orange, I shall offer for sale to the high-

TY Court of Orange, I shall offer for sale to the highest bidder, on the premises, on the 11th day of August next, that valuable Property in the town of Hillsborough known as the residence of the late Mrs. Anna Cameron, and now belonging to Mrs. Anna Kirkland.

The Lot is pleasantly situated, and the House large and commodious, and well suited for a private residence. Families in the Eastern part of the State, desirous of securing a summer residence in a healthy country, are invited to examine the property. The property will be sold on a credit of six mon hs, the purchaser required to give bond and approved security. Possession given on the day of sale.

Also, on the same day, I will sell an old Negro Man, Jerry, the property of Mrs. Kirkland, and some articles of Household Furniture.

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June 16, 1856. O. F. LONG, Guardian. June 16, 1856.

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